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For : DEVICES FOR FIXING AT LEAST ONE)
PACKING TO A CYLINDER OF A ROTARY)
PRINTING PRESS AND PRINTING GROUP)
COMPRISING SAID DEVICES)

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An Office Action/Search Report was issued by the German Patent Office in a corresponding German patent application on November 15, 2005. A copy of the Office Action/Search Report is enclosed. It is noted that DE 199 24 787 and DE 100 58 996 were cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed with the application.

DE 42 44 077 is the equivalent of U.S. 5,396,843. No discussion of this English language document is required.

WO 02/43962 is the equivalent of U.S. 6,862,991. No discussion of this English language document is required.

DD 261 768 does not appear to have an English language abstract or equivalent. It appears to show a cylinder with a pair of plate end holding devices situated in a cylinder groove.

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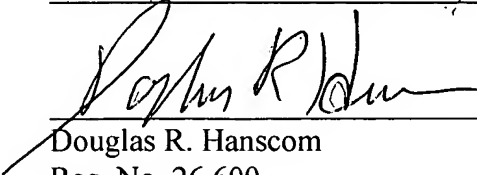
Entry of these materials into the file of the subject U.S. patent application, and their consideration by the Examiner is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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